

Current Comment

The inconsistency of our country as portrayed in its recognition of the Hitler-German government while at the same time refusing to recognize the Soviet union, is bothering us this week.

Conditions similar to those that contribute to America's official unawareness of the Red Republic exist in Germany today. There seems to be, however, a finely drawn line separating the two nations, which is visible to the diplomatic eye.

A foul and vicious act of the recently naturalized Austrian Hitler, dictator of Germany, destroyed religious freedom and set up in its place what he is pleased to call the "new religious order," which is based partly on the Bible, and partly on Aryan mythology.

His treatment of the defeated opposition is notorious: banishment, imprisonment, and general abuse clothe the victor in internationally advertised brutality.

Hitler's persecution of the Jews in Germany is a challenge to the entire world and a shameful scar on his adopted land. Resorting to boycott he ruined Jewish merchants and destroyed Jewish professional men—doctors, lawyers, engineers, chemists—and breaking, with them, the backbone of German science. And, having ruined them, he forbids them to leave the country. In satisfying his personal intolerances the animal Hitler is slowly but surely tearing his new-found castle down about his own ears.

Suppression of the press and a spade bit in the mouth of free speech completes the picture of a dejected nation which is still recognized by the United States, while the enlightened people of Russia, to diplomatic America, simply do not exist.

Since this writer recently moved from a comparatively little-used road, West Campbell avenue, to a home on the "main stem," he has become painfully aware of certain traffic regulations, brought to his attention chiefly through the disregard in which they are held by a great number of people, some of whom are old enough to know better. The gaining of this knowledge has been attended by considerable loss of sleep.

We refer here to the absence of mufflers on automobiles, motorcycles, and trucks which use the public roadway, which in this instance is represented by Campbell avenue. The terrific din emitted by these muffler-less vehicles is far from soothing to the ear, and the racket is apt to start early in the morning and last until late at night.

Now the law expressly forbids the operation of any motor vehicle without a proper device for the strangulation, at birth, of exhaust noises, and we would suggest that a representative of the law station himself, for a time, in Campbell, and insist that these sleep and nerve destroyers put up their vehicles until such time as they become properly equipped with mufflers.

This here, now, guy, Don Meaney of Los Angeles, is about to favor a rather nice looking girl with the title of "The Ninth Mrs. Meaney." All the exes seem to be still kicking around somewhere. He must be a tough baby to get along with—a sort of a meanie Meaney, eh?

A New York lifeguard crewman yesterday blamed the chaperon of a hundred orphans for the tragedy that swept seven of the youngsters to their deaths in the sea. He said that, had the chaperon asked lifeguardsmen about the dangerous

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Dual Service Marks Passing of William And Linnie Alexander

Couple Married Over 62 Years Succumb With- In Few Hours of Each Other.

"For so he giveth his beloved sleep." These words of the Psalmist seem most fittingly to apply to the passing on of William T. and Linnie Alexander, whose deaths occurred within a few hours of each other on Aug. 3 and Aug. 4 at their home in Campbell.

Both of this aged couple had been ill for many months, although Mr. Alexander had been confined to his bed only intermittently until a short time ago. Mrs. Alexander had been bed-ridden since last October when she fractured a leg in a fall in her living room.

Both were ready and glad to begin their life in the world beyond, as they had lived to the ages of 89 and 90, and had been ill for so long.

William T. Alexander was born in England, July 29, 1844, coming to this country with his parents at the age of ten, and eventually making his home in Wisconsin. He took up railroad work and at an early age became an engineer and ran for many years on the Great Northern line, on a number of occasions being chosen to pilot the trains bearing James J. Hill, president of the road.

During these years he and his wife lived at St. Cloud and St. Paul, Minn., where they made many firm friends.

Retiring from railroading in 1905, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander came to San Francisco for a few months and then settled on a ranch on Casey road, where they resided until 1919, when they moved to the house on North Second street that was their final home.

Malinda Ferguson, always known as Linnie, was a native of Pennsylvania, born Dec. 25, 1842, and when 15 years old was married at Prairie du Chien, Wis., to Charles Carpenter. One son was born to them the following year, Frank Benton Carpenter, who became the widely known Doctor Carpenter of San Francisco, who visited Campbell many times.

A few years after the early death of her first husband, Mrs. Carpenter was married to Mr. Alexander at Prairie du Chien, where they continued to make their home for some time. Over 60 years of wedded life these two passed together.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander entered into the church and community life

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Big Crowd Jams Local Church To Hear Ben Wilson Talk On Russia

Speaking to more than a hundred people at the Congregational church Tuesday night, the Rev. Ben Wilson of Erie, Pa., gave an interpretive description of his recent trip to Russia. He made the tour in company with a distinguished group of American sociologists and economists this year.

With frequent comparisons between tsarist Russia and post-war Russia, Mr. Wilson pointed to the numerous gains which have been realized under the new order in all major fields of activity. Economically, Russia has progressed from a country only 80 per cent industrialized before the revolution to a nation which has the second greatest productive possibilities in the world. Moreover, the new society has eliminated the problem of unemployment, according to Mr. Wilson, by the simple expedient of returning to the productive worker the total value of the goods produced beyond the cost of government operation of factories.

He stated that Russian women have materially profited by the revolution, too, for they need be no longer financially dependent upon masculine support. The government provides them with equal opportunity in industry on a basis of equal remuneration for identical positions. Observations made in Leninograd, he declared, proved to him that the women were often more efficient than the men in discharging their duties.

Describing the many lavish kreams, built "out of the sweat and blood of the toiling masses," he praised the superior uses to which they are now being put as schools, museums, and libraries for greater numbers of people. Additional shifts, according to Mr. Wilson, have made it possible to offer educational advantages to 80,000,000 of the population, as against 8,000,000 under the tsarist regime. "By 1937," he said, "the Soviets plan to have completely abolished illiteracy."

Considering the general social conditions since the revolution, Mr. Wilson pointed out that, whereas 45 per cent of the children died before reaching their first year under the tsarist regime, only 8 per cent of the infants die in their first year under the Soviet government. The decrease in infant mortality is traceable directly to a better standard of living, he believes.

In concluding his talk, Mr. Wilson urged fair and impartial analysis of the Soviet project, its purposes and its ideals, and held it up as a challenge to all Christian people.

Miss Evelyn Voge Honored At Picnic-Shower Thursday Evening

Miss Evelyn Voge was guest of honor at an evening picnic given by Miss Elsie Merrill and Miss Miriam Blaine last Thursday evening near Los Gatos. Miss Voge recently announced her engagement to William Canfield of Wisconsin. The wedding is to be an event of the near future.

After the picnic supper, in playing a game of forfeits, Miss Voge

was surprised when, in carrying out a forfeit, she found packages in which were many lovely gifts for her new home.

Present to enjoy the picnic and shower for Miss Voge were Mrs. David Ribble and the Misses Helen Buck, Miriam Blaine, Elizabeth Burke, Annette Merrill, Elsie Merrill, Mary Maxon, Helen Stray Elin Swanson, Ruth Townsend, and Elsie Swanson.

EVIDENCE OF "MYSTERY WITNESS" TO BE SUBMITTED TO GRAND JURY

McCorkle Statement

Repeatedly denying that her husband was a "robber," Mrs. M. T. McCorkle, prostrated mother of three orphaned children, today welcomed the reopening of the investigation of Severio Sanfilippo's story that he killed her husband in self-defense.

"My husband was not a robber," she said. "Anyone will tell you that. I have references from every place he worked. They all show that he was a mild man, who worked hard and honestly. Ask any of the people who knew him here—they will tell you the same thing."

"As for attacking anyone—he was never a man that liked fighting. He was always trying to stop fights everywhere he went. He drank sometimes—but he was never quarrelsome or wild when he drank. He never drank that much, as his friends will tell you."

Asked if she thought her husband was drunk on the fatal night, she cried out indignantly: "Of course not! Dr. Draper and the nurses both said he wasn't. So did Mr. Wellington and Mr. Finley, whom he drove down from the Skyline boulevard where he was working. People should not believe those things."

Mrs. McCorkle had no insurance to protect his wife and family. "He had let it go," she said, "when he was out of work. I don't know what I'll do. Just work, I guess, and pray for help for the kiddies. It will come out in the end—I know that. And maybe they will find out, sometime, that my husband was a good man. That's what I'm hoping for."

Man Registered At Local Hotel Missing Since 18th

Mrs. Mary Lanphear and Constable Frank Coupland are seeking a man who registered at the former's hotel recently, and left the same night. The missing man registered as Charles T. Jackson, and told Mrs. Lanphear that he was going to work the next day on a fruit ranch near here.

After not seeing him for five days Mrs. Lanphear called Coupland, and together they entered his room and found that the bed had not been slept in, and only one meal eaten. A suitcase of clothing and other belongings, and quantities of food were found in the room.

Mrs. Lanphear would like to trace the man and return his belongings. She described him as being of medium height, with dark hair and eyes, and dressed in a blue suit. He has been missing since July 18.

HARRY EVANS RECOVERS STOLEN CAR SUNDAY

A Buick Sedan, stolen from Joseph Taylor of San Jose, was recovered by Deputy Sheriff Harry Evans in Campbell last week. The car was abandoned by two marines at Dillon and Central avenues, the thieves making their get-a-way in another car which stopped for them.

Evans was unable to trace the two marines, but he is holding a "Pistol Expert" badge for one of them to call for. The car was not damaged.

Returns from South

Robert Thompson has just returned from southern California where he spent a three weeks vacation as the guest of his cousins at Long Beach and Riverside. He also spent a few days with his father, Lieut. Robert Thompson, of the U. S. S. Lexington, now at San Pedro.

Deliberation of Grand Jury May Lead To Re- Opening of Case.

As a result of new evidence which came to the district attorney's office, the shooting of M. T. McCorkle by Severio Sanfilippo on July 28 is to be re-investigated by the grand jury as soon as a complete case can be filed with Paul Rudolph, foreman of that body.

The new evidence was brought forward by a witness whose identity is a secret, and who is said to have observed the fatal shooting. He was discovered by Harry Evans, local deputy sheriff who is hired by the Campbell chamber of commerce.

According to the witness, who did not surrender his information until after the inquest, he was walking up the driveway of the A. Steffanini residence, where he worked, when he noticed two cars racing down the highway side by side, as though in a dispute of some kind. One car (McCorkle's Ford) pulled up at the side of the road just short of the driveway, and the other stopped almost directly in front of it. The occupant of the Ford got out of his car and approached the driver of the other car so that the two met in the center of the highway. The witness said his vision of the affair was obscured at this juncture, because both men were standing behind Sanfilippo's automobile, but that he heard the two talking for a moment before the gun flashed which fatally wounded McCorkle.

Frightened by the abrupt termination of the event, the witness said he fled the spot, running into the house where he disclosed the shooting to the residents. Afterward, all went out and discovered that Sanfilippo's car had been moved down the road about 30 feet, so that it rested in front of a telephone pole. It dashed off almost immediately. A blue sedan, which he took to be a Studebaker, drove up just after the shooting, but turned around and drove off.

There was no fight before the shooting, the witness said, and so far as he knew, the man identified as McCorkle did not throw anything, although the sound of breaking glass reached him after the shot was fired.

In a statement received from Assistant District Attorney Waterhouse as this column goes to press, the prosecuting office said that "the case awaits the pleasure of the grand jury. No new evidence (aside from that of the 'mystery' witness) has been brought forward."

The McCorkle slaying took place on Hamilton avenue at about 9:15 p. m., July 28. Sanfilippo surrendered to the sheriff's office about three or four hours after the shooting according to Sheriff Emig. He was exonerated following the inquest.

Back from B. I.

Thomas Mendel returned Tuesday morning from a four month's visit in England.

Bests at Coast

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Best and family were week-end visitors in Capitola.

THE FARMERS CORNER

By Ralph H. Taylor

With legislative sessions, both state and national, at an end, temporarily, after the most tumultuous gatherings in many years, perhaps the most significant result of the whole political upheaval is to be found in the sudden quickening of popular interest in popular government.

Fundamentally, the fact that the average citizen is beginning to become politically-conscious is of far greater importance than the national recovery program, for the entire program is largely dependent upon public cooperation and public vigilance.

And the fact that California farmers—and California taxpayers generally—have become tax-conscious is of more significance than the relief they achieved.

Most reassuring is the questioning attitude of many thousands of voters who, in times past, knew little or nothing about government—and cared less! One of the questions emanating from this group is the challenging query: "Can popular government survive?" Yet the very seriousness of the question is a hopeful sign. Democracy was probably in far greater danger of going on the rocks when no one thought to question it.

Popular government is somewhat like a farm cooperative. Its success or failure depends on two factors: Able and sincere leadership, and an intelligent, wide-awake body politic, making common cause to meet common problems.

Some farm cooperatives, to be sure, have failed, but the great majority have succeeded. And during the present period of chaos, the farm co-ops have proved their real worth better than at any other time in the state's history. But farmers, it must be admitted, have thrown more interest in the success of their farm cooperatives than they have in the success of their government. And business men have taken a much keener interest in protecting their business welfare than their governmental welfare.

The terrific costs of public indifference to public problems has been emphasized and re-emphasized throughout the depression. Farmers, business men, industrialists and professional men have all come to realize, finally, that they have almost as much at stake in government as they have in their individual enterprises. And out of that realization has come the start of a new and vital interest in things political which may, if it continues, change the whole governmental picture.

Looking backward over the legislative session just concluded at Sacramento, and the previous sessions which went practically unnoticed by the average voter, most serious minded observers might be inclined to ask—and wonder—whether democracy is all the forefathers thought it to be.

Yet, without condoning or apologizing for the faults of both legislators and public officials, it must be admitted that the people have gotten out of government about what they put into it. If they were indifferent, they got indifferent representatives. If they were selfish, they got selfish representatives. And if they were publicly alert, they got alert representatives willing to fight for their interests.

There is frequent complaint that wealth and corporate interests own and control most public officials. Sometimes, unfortunately, the complaint is true, but public indifference has made it true, as this ob-

Costume Party

The Wahoo Camp Fire girls were guests at an international costume party held by the Campbell Camp Fire girls at the Boy Scout Camp Fire hall last Wednesday evening. Miss Ruth Townsend, director, was in charge.

Operates Station

Joseph Keesling is now operating the Henderson service station at the intersection of Dry Creek road and the San Jose-Los Gatos highway.

server sees the picture.

One of the reasons for this condition, for instance, is that spectacular and costly campaigns have been necessary to arouse public interest in elections. No candidate for a major office can afford such campaigns. And corporations can—and often do—afford them! Hence corporation-controlled officials, made so largely because the voters were not sufficiently interested to vote without synthetic encouragement.

But the reassuring thing is that some of the voters, at least, have started to think and question. And the best promise of intelligence, in the body politic, as with the individual, is a frank admission of ignorance.

All in all, democracy is looking up, even though the concrete results might not indicate it.

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At a recent meeting of the Morning Light lodge, I.O.O.F., in Campbell, Fred Jones was elected to the position of noble grand, succeeding Abe Klassen, who for the past year had directed activities of the organization.

Other officers elected at this time were: Al Covey, vice grand; Abe Klassen, past grand; Hugo Bloom, r.s.n.g.; Gregg Rice, l.s.n.g.; Frank Coupland, r.s.v.g.; Ray Mathis, l.s.v.g.; William Coupland, chaplain; Jack Murdock, warden; Hans Hansen, conductor; Harry Bloom, r.s.s.; Roy Kossich, l.s.s.; H. Shelley, inside guardian; W. Smily, outside guardian; T. A. Robinson, treasurer; Julius Bachman, recording secretary, and Ed Genasci, financial secretary.

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Day at Coast

Miss Dorothy Clark spent Sunday in Capitola with friends.

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Are free! Ah, Beauty is Your weapon!
Against this cool, sweet intimacy of equals
In deep communion, what matters the full
Account? What matters the maddening
Vicarage, the cruel jests and despair
Of other days?
Sing, God, Your new sweet abandon!
Man has judged You, and made You free.
You are forgiven.

—Richard Lynden

AGED COUPLE LAID TO REST SAME DAY

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of Campbell very heartily until the last few years of their life. They were active and devoted members of the Congregational church, having transferred from the Presbyterian church of St. Paul.

Mrs. Alexander was a past matron of a St. Paul chapter of the Eastern Star, and was one of the earlier members of the Campbell Pundita circle. Both Mr. and Mrs. Alexander were very hospitable and loyal to their friends, corresponding with numbers of those at a distance, and being visited by many passing this way.

While they will be greatly missed by these many friends, all of them are glad that they fell asleep so peacefully and closely together that there was no parting.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander gathered at the Congregational church Monday forenoon and held the double funeral service, the church ceremony being conducted by the Rev. J. H. Bennett for Mrs. Alexander, and the Masonic ceremony conducted by Charity lodge for Brother Alexander. Interment was made at Cypress Lawn Memorial cemetery in the family lot. The services at the church for the late Brother Alexander, and also at the grave side, were conducted by Past Master T. A. Robinson, acting as worshipful master, Past Master Harry C. Smith, acting as senior warden, and the Rev. W. E. Eckles

Lynden Guests

John Lynden of San Francisco and his fiancée, Miss Madeleine Speik of South Pasadena, were dinner guests last evening at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lynden on Campbell avenue.

Visiting Uncle

Miss Grace Haldeman of Lakeland, Fla. is visiting her uncle, Carl Field, and family. During her visit they all spent the week-end at Yosemite.

A Daughter

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith Friday, Aug. 4, a daughter, Margaret Jean.

as chaplain.

Pall bearers for Mr. Alexander were C. T. Fawcett and M. D. Taylor, both members of North Star lodge No. 23 at St. Cloud, Minn., when the deceased joined that lodge, G. S. Robson, F. E. Mitchell, N. B. Galbraith, and R. H. Hyde. Those for Mrs. Alexander were C. B. Field, W. H. Stray, R. G. Archibald, S. B. Smith, S. N. Hedegard, and G. L. Parso.

A quartet, Mrs. W. F. Grattan, Miss Annette Merrill, H. C. Smith, and W. I. Merrill sang, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," and "It Is Well With My Soul," accompanied by Mrs. D. A. Saunders.

The many beautiful floral pieces were a fitting tribute to the one who had been such a lover and successful grower of flowers during life.

The People Say:

A PLACE RESERVED FOR THE RANK AND FILE WHO OTHERWISE HAVE NO MEDIUM IN WHICH TO PRESENT THEIR OPINIONS. PAPERS SHOULD BE FAIRLY BRIEF, AND FAIRLY WRITTEN—ON ONE SIDE OF MS. ONLY

Editor the Press
Dear Editor:

It was nice of Mr. Whitaker to answer my letter and keep the ball a-rolling. But he is too fond of controversy to wish me to agree with him. Hence, and in the best of humor, I make the following criticisms.

1. He set a bad example. For the best good of this department his letter was far too long.

2. His statement that people who run the country are always behind the best ideas of the times was so worded as to sound profound, but I hardly think it was. If he had given his own practical side a chance he would have thought, "Beautiful theories are much easier to formulate than put into practice." Then he would have dismissed the thought as too obvious to mention.

3. He implies that sound social theories can precede sound social practice. Not so. In fact everybody, including Mr. Whitaker himself,

knows that social progress is by the crooked and bumpy road of trial and error. It follows that a correct social theory always awaits the practical demonstration. Even so, as every historian knows, first post-demonstration theories are usually wrong. "Best theories"—i. e. theories most pleasing to constituted theorists—are always wrong.

4. Mr. Whitaker has probably read *The Autobiography of Lincoln Steffens*. His letter suggests that he should read that book again. He seems to have missed its most important lesson, which is: When makers of beautiful theories get the upper hand of practical men the theorists get things into a worse mess.

Incidentally, Mr. Steffens told a group in San Jose the other evening that much theorizing paralyzes the power to act. Bright-minded and aspiring young people please take notice.

—John D. Blaine

FIFTH ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW AT LOS ALTOS AUG. 18

The fifth annual county flower show will be held at Los Altos Friday and Saturday, Aug. 18 and 19. The Los Altos Garden association, of which T. D. Landels is president, sponsors the show and invites exhibits from amateurs and nurserymen, and others who have special specimen of flowers or plants they wish to show. There is no entry fee.

Among flowers to be judged will be asters, dahlias, zinnias, marigolds, delphiniums, pansies, petunias, roses and gladioli.

Further information, and regulations of the show can be obtained from T. D. Landels of Los Altos.

BARLETT'S NEW SERVICE STATION OPENS SATURDAY

The finishing touches are being put on the new service station being constructed by Billy Barlett across the road from the county hospital.

Although gas may be obtained at the station now, the official opening will not be observed until Saturday, Aug. 12, when refreshments and beer will also be on sale.

Mrs. Barlett will assist at the station.

Mother, Aunt Here

Mrs. Leonard Fletcher, accompanied by her sister, Miss Lillian Wynn, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fletcher, today.

Take Guest to Coast

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Keesling and daughter Margaret, with her guest, Miss Edith Passerella of San Jose, spent last week at Santa Cruz.

In Musicale

Miss Helen Kalas and her sister, Bozena Kalas, appeared in a Czech music recital given by the College Women's club in Berkeley Thursday evening.

In S. F. Today

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of Samuel Thompson, Deceased
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of Samuel Thompson, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within six (6) months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executor at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Cottrell, Suite 807 First National Bank Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business connected with said estate will be transacted. San Jose, California, this 31st day of July, 1933.

LOUIS JOHN BLASS
Executor of the last Will and Testament of Samuel Thompson, Deceased.
BOHNETT, HILL & COTTRELL
Attorneys for Executor (45-6-7-8)

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH NOTES

There will be a food sale, sponsored by the young people of the church, at Field's store Saturday morning, commencing at 9 o'clock.

Sunday night at 7:45, at the church building on North Central avenue, the junior intermediate group of the Christian Endeavor will stage a five-act pageant-play entitled "The Life of Moses." Miss Dorothy Merriman has charge of the affair.

To U C Hospital

Wesley Lantz was taken to U.C. hospital, San Francisco, Monday, for observation and treatment by specialists.

Back from Chi

The Jos. Doetsch family and Bob Burrow are expected home today from their auto trip to the Chicago fair.

Current Comment

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places on the beach they would have warned him against the very spot he chose to let his young charges take to the briny. It seems to us that a lifeguard who knew his stuff—and his duty—would not wait to be asked about the danger spots on a beach when he observed a mob of 100 children headed for the water at a place he knew to be dangerous.

REUNION PICNIC ENJOYED SUNDAY LOS GATOS PARK

A family reunion was held Sunday, Aug. 6, at Los Gatos, where about 40 friends and relatives gathered at the picnic grounds for their annual picnic.

At noon a very delightful lunch was enjoyed under the trees.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Wenk, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Birnbaum and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Volkerr, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. H. Odell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Doemsky, Mrs. Goldie Spillman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Volkerr, Mrs. Matilda Doemsky, Mrs. Elizabeth Volkerr, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Volkerr and son Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Volkerr and family, Mrs. Edna Hunt and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Birnbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sohm and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Volkerr, and Jack Burton.

At Capitola

Mr. and Mrs. Herold Morton and sons, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farley and sons, spent the week-end at their cottage in Capitola.

Medicos' Reunion

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Anderson attended a reunion of Nebraska university medical school graduates at an Mateo unday.

Tonsils Out

Little Barbara Morton who, with her mother, Mrs. Leola Morton, visited the latter's parents here last week, successfully underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils Thursday.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Bohnett left Tuesday morning on a two week's camping trip to Lake Tahoe and Yosemite. Miss Eva Bohnett of San Jose will join them for a week at Yosemite.

Guests of Cramers

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Purmort returned Monday from Fallen Leaf lake where they had enjoyed a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cramer.

At Capitola

Mrs. Earl Eddlemon and daughter Shirley, and Mrs. Gayno Eddlemon, left Monday for a few days vacation at the Henry Campbell cottage at Capitola.

Visits Mother

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Baugh and

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KIWANIS NOTES

By Heck

The Hon. C. C. Cottrell, assemblyman from this district, was speaker at the Kiwanis luncheon yesterday, delivering an enlightening review of the acts of the last legislature.

This state is more than 15 million dollars in the red, and the legislature tried to provide for means of removing that deficit. Mr. Cottrell believes that the "overhead" of our state government is top-heavy, and that little relief can be obtained until a considerable number of useless, high-priced jobs are eliminated. With attorneys for every branch of every commission doing little but an occasional reference to some expert, it is no wonder government expense keeps mounting, he said. At a hearing during the session, the uselessness of some of these men who are paid substantial salaries, was very clearly shown.

The sales tax, said Mr. Cottrell, was deemed by many as the best means of bringing the expensive government more directly to the attention of the public. With such a constant reminder before them, the public will soon demand a change. George Burrow acted as chairman.

A number of visiting Kiwanians were in attendance to hear this interesting talk, as were also wives of several local members.

Tuesday evening next will be another enjoyable ladies' night, at which time P. M. Dietrich, manager of Leon's furniture store, will give a talk on "Furniture Types."

little daughter Nancy of Berkeley were recent visitors at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Hattie Baugh of North Second street.

To Lake Tahoe

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ainsley left last Friday for a two weeks' stay at Lake Tahoe and environs. They are stopping at Tahoe Tavern.

Visits Knappens

Carlton S. Hyman of San Francisco visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Knappen over the week-end.

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